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Amendment No. 1 to HB0983

Brooks H Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1156

House Bill No. 983*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3401, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (h) and redesignating the remaining subsection accordingly:

(h) Within ten (10) business days of a student's readmittance to the regular school setting after a suspension or expulsion of ten (10) days or more, the parent, legal guardian, or primary caregiver of such student shall make contact with the appropriate school officials to be apprised of the conditions relative to the student's readmittance and the parent, legal guardian, or primary caregiver's responsibilities for assisting in the student's successful transition back to the regular school setting. Contact may be made by a visit to the school or by telephone or electronic communication.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring